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THE ELEVENTH ORDINARY GENE. RAL MEETING of SHAREHOLD. -ERS will be held in the Hongkeng Hotel on TUESDAY, 27th February, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, declaring a Dividend, and electing Directors and Auditors.
The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company

be CLOSED from the 22nd to 27t Pobruary, both days inclusive. By order of the Board of Directors, G. W. WINTERBURN,

General Manager. Hongkong, 22nd February, 1900.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer

" "ORESTES" are hereby notified that the Cargo is being dis-charged into Cruft, and/or landed at the Godowns of the Undersigned; in both cases it will be at Consignees risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on

and after the 21st inst. Optional cargo will be landed unless notice. has been given prior to steamer's arrival. Goods undelivered after the 27th instant will be subject to rent. All damaged Goods must be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined at 11 A.M. on the 27th instant. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Agents. Hongkong, 22nd February, 1900. FROM HAMBURG, PENANG, AND . SINGAPORE.

THE N.G.L. Steamship

"NURNBERG," Captain Posch, having arrived from the above ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned and to take immediate delivery of their goods from Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice

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THE TRADE MARKS ORDINANCE,

APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION OF

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Corporation existing under the laws of the State of West Virginia in the United States of nemat No. 35, Wall Street, in the City, County and State of New York in the said United applied for the registration, in Hongkong, in the Register of TRADE MARKS, of the being the representation of a bals with the words "LOWRY BALE" impressed thereon, and in the other arm of the balance being the representation of a weight with the words "250 1b." impressed thereon in the name of the said PLANTERS COMPRESS COMPANY, who

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NOTICE OF FIRMS NOTICE.

URING my THEFORARY ABBRECE from the Colony, MR. FULLARTON HENDERSON holds my Power of Attorney. R. C. WILCOX. Hongkong, 20th February, 1900.

> INTIMATIONS RACE HOLIDAY

THE Undermentioned BANKS will be L CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business at 11.45 A.M. TO-DAY THURS-DAY), the 22nd inst. respectively. For the CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA,

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E.W. RUTTER. Acting Manager For the DEUTSCH-ASIATISCHE BANK, F. URBIG.

Manager. Hongkong, 14th February, 1900. INSURANCE HOLIDAY.

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CHINA FIRE INSURANCE CO., LD. Hongkong, 15th February, 1900. HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

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Feb. 21, Bargussung, German str., 2,020, G. Plaff, Moja 16th February .- CARLOWITZ Feb. 21, Futimi Maru, Japanese str., 2,331, J Thom, Australia via Manila 19th Feb. General Nippon Yusey Kaisha.

Feb. 21, Kwing Ping, Chinese str., 1,241, W. Blake, Shanghai 18th Feb., Water Ballast. -CHINESU. Feb. 21, LOKEANG, British steamer, 989, Leask, Bangkok 13th Feb., General -- JARDINE,

MATHEBON & Co. Feb. 21, NANCHANG, British str., 1,062, Finleyson, Hongay 18th Feb. Coal.-BUTTER-FIELD & SWIEE. Feb. 21, PHEA CHOM KLAO, British str., 1,011. J. Fowler, Bangkok 12th Feb., Rice, &c.-

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Feb. 21, TELUNA, British str., 3,124, T. G. Scott, -Moji 16th Feb., Coal,-ARNHOLD, KAR-BERG & Co. Feb. 21, WAKISA MARU, Jap. str., 3,881, J. B. Macmilian, Yokohoms 10th Feb., via Kob and Moji 17th, General .- N. Y. KAISHA. Feb. 21, TAMEUI MARU, Japaness str., 1,075 Sabagima, Amoy and Swatow 20th Feb. General. M. B. KAISHA.

ULEARANCES. AT THE HIRBOUR MASTER'S OFFI. E. 11ST FEBRUARY. Babelsberg, German str., for Macasar. Apenrade, Gernan str., for Hoihow.

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Feb. 24. QUEEN BLEANOR, British str., for New

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Mr H. Holmes; for Antwerp, Mr. F. Sickinger. LESSELS IN DOCK. ABERDREN DOCKS .-Kowkoon Doors.-Isla de Cuba, Isla de Luzon, U.S.S. Monadnock, Hongkong, Tyr, Prosper, U.S.S. Wheeling, Kaifong, Kong Beng, Chuen Tise, U.S.S. Relief, Germania,

COMMOPOLITAN DOCK .- Don Juan de Austria,

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TIME TABLE,

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Hongsong, February 22nd, 1900.

The Civil Service Commissioners announce that the regulations respecting examinations for cadelabips in the Civil Services of Ceylon, Hongkong, the Straits Settlements, and the Protected States of the Maley Peninsula shall be so modified as to allow members of the Militia, the Imperial Yeomany, the Honourable Artillery Company, and the Volunteers, in reckoning age for competition, to deduct from their actual age all time spent on active service in the war in South Africa. . similar announcement has already been made with regard to examinations for clerkships (Class I.) in the Home Civil Service and other situations included in Solisdule A of the Order in Conneil of June 4, 1870; but no relaxation can buallowed in the limits of age for candidates for the Civil Service of India.

In connection with the talk about using our native troops, from various parts of the world against the Boers, it is interesting to notice that Sir Henry Howorth protests strongly against the interdict on employing Sepoys against white men in Africa, If we were attacked in India we should use them against the Russians, and why should we not use them against the Boers ? "Putting the cavalry saide," he says, "it may possibly seem to others that on lower ground, opened a terrific amokeless if we had had three regiments of Ghoorkas in South Africa it would have been better than employing Guardemen and Highanders in plumes to stores kopjes and entrenchments. They are all day, though Mr. Bennot Burleigh, the special the very men for the work, and it is the very correspondent of the Daily Tolegraph, declared work they like best. They are all "soldiers of that at the close the British secured the whole the Queen" just as much as Tommy Atkins. of the commanding position and commenced to They never flinch from work or duty, their strongly entwech themselves. courage never flags; why should they be left out in the cold because their skins are a little darker, as if they were savages?"

TAt the Magistracy Jesterday Mr. Gemperts had another case of purse mustohing before him. The offender was a disreputable-looking Chinaman, evidently very hard up: It appears that Ralfa), of Belilios Terrace, and her sister were the war, being raked on all sides. For a long front and remained there to the finish. going along Queen's Road Central when the time they were unable to locate the guns of the prisoner, seeing that Mrs. Ralfe was carrying a enemy, but ultimately silenced several, otherpurso in her hand, rashed forward and made a wise it would have been impossible to remain grab. He, however, missed his mark, and as the on the kep. ladies at once began to scream he did not make a second attempt but cleared off down Douglas Lane. Mr. F. H. Kew, of the Attorney-Gen. What induced the abandonme eral's Office, caught sight of the man as he was tion is still a mystery. bolting and gave chase, succeeding in catching him on the Praya Reclamation. Mr. Kew brought him back to the ladies, who at once recognised him as the man who had assailed them; and gave him into oustody. At the Magistracy yesterday the man said there had been a misisks, but His Worship considered the evidence instant, for this port, where she is due to arrive conclusive and inflicted a sentence of three months hard labour, at the same time bighly complimenting Mr. Kew on his conduct.

A Boxing Contest for the Heavy Weight Championship of Hongkong and \$200 a-side came off at the Theatre Royal, City Hall, lost night. The participants were Corporal Bou Hugh, of the Royal Welsh Fmiliers, and J. Railly, of the United States Navy. Three exhibition spars preceded the main events, the pairs being J. Howe and W. Barker (H.M.S. Brick), T. Winklar (U.S. Baltimore) and F. Playley (U.S. Monadnock), and F. Howard (Hongkong) and W. Bratt (H.M.S. Centurion). The svent of the evening wes Shaughai 18th Feb., had freth N.E. winds and nominally for 15 rounds, under Queens, cloudy weather. berry Rules, but the American, who looked I'ne German steamer Babelsberg, from Moji much bigger and heavier than his oppo. 16th February, had strong N.E. wind, rough in a very short time upset the hopes see and overoust weather. of the Weishman backers by knooking him The British steamer Lokung, from Backers out in the first round. Beilly's victory was like b'obrusty, had light N.E. monston and fine Mr. Burey's Dot Rose, 10st 61bs enthusiastically received by the large numbers weather to Paracels; thence to port strong monof Americans present. The winter was obal, soon and high sea. langed by a representative of the British navy, The British steamer Phra Chem Klas, from and it is to be hoped that the match can be Bangkok lath l'eb., experienced light easterly. Bir Horace McMahon's Lukong, l'ist 41ba

It is stated by the St. Potersburg Woonsti that Russia has already post-offices in sixty Chinese towns. .

Lord Brassey, Gorornor of Victoria, expected at Bingapore in his yacht the Sunbeam from Australia on the 12th instant. Lord Brausey is bound for Europa From Singapore the Sunbeam will be navigated by the Marquis of Graham, oldest son of the Duke of Montrose, who arrived at Singapore by the Coromandel.

The Admiralty have accepted the tender of Messrs Laird Brothers for the propelling machinery of the battleship Montague, now being built in the Government yard at Devonport. The engines are to be the most powerful ever placed on a battleship, having to develop 18,000 I.H.P., or 3,000 in excess of the ongines on other ships of similar type.

We quote the following frem the Siam Obserrer .- "In Hongkong they are discusing the udvisability of racing Walers. If they are sensible they will do nothing of the sort. The Chins pony is a game little beast and his hitherto provided excellent sport. Shoughai has refused to have anything to do with the imported animal, which is a torribly expensive article to keep going. - Almost myone can afford to keep and run the native pony which, despite its idiosyneracies and poculiarities, provides good sport at a more than reasonable rate and is always more or less useful when its racing career is onded."

TELEGRAMS.

"DAILY PRESS" SERVICE, THE WAR:

LONLON, 20th February, 7.40 p.m. ACROSS THE TUGELA-BOERS IN

FULL RETREAT. ler occupied a position dominating Colenzo. General Hart occupied the town itself after The Machinery in use embodies a slight ongagement. A later-message announces that the crossing of the Tugela has begun. The enemy scem to be in full retreat. We hold the river line from Colenso to Englesnest.

ON THE BLOEMFONTEIN ROAD-LORD METHUEN AT KIMBERLEY. General Roberts reports from Paardeberg that Lord Methuen is moving to Kimberley, and that the railway is ready to-day

(Tuesday). [Pandeberg in about 23 miles from Jacobsdel on the north of the road from the latter place to Bloemfontein. Lord Roberts therefore has ponetrated well into Free State territory, to within about fifty miles at Bloom.

> REUTER'S SERVICE. LONDON, 19th February.

THE WAR IN CAPE COLONY.

convoy on the 17th just LORD ROBERTS AND THE FREE

News from the Riet River states that after tramendous shelling, during which our loss was | race between the two was well worth witnessing. slight, Lord Roberts sent a conciliatory proclamation to the Free Staters saying that Great ter, but had to strike his colours to the others. Britain bears no ill-will and is antious to preserve them from the evils due to the wrongful up in the Derby under conditions somewhat action of their Government. The proclamation similar was bound to create interest, and the concludes by warning the Burghers to desist race between the two for the Garrison Cuj from further hostility.

LONDON, 19th February. THE MISSING WILTSHIRES.

have been captured. GENERAL BULLER SUCCESSFUL. and taken several Campa with several waggons of ammunition, stores and a few prisoners.

THE WAR IN SOUTH AFRICA. NEWS VIA AUSTRALIA.

SPIONEOP DETAILS,

London, 30th January. Further details have been received of the fighting at Spienkop on Wednesday. perate fighting took place throughout the whole day much of the conflict being waged in a winner was hardly mentioned, but when Mr.

The Boer riflemen defended the edge of the platean, which concealed further back on the tableland a very strong defensive position. The enemy's gans commanded the whole of owner was really more enthusiastic than any the ground which the British must traverse, and possessing the exact range they poured in a fearful fire upon the British regiments. The scene was a perfect inferno.

Some of the British were captured through the failure of their ammunition. The Naval gans lent valuable aid.

The British artillery was less advantageously placed than that of the Boers, whose massed guas took the British completely by surprise. Further details which have been received of the battle on Spienkop show that when aware that the British held the highest part of the mountain the Boars, from an invisible position

crossire of shells and shrappel, besides using their rifles. The battle surged backwards and forwards Lieutenant General Warren's reinforcements

in crossing open ground lost heavily. The Boers, under the commanil of Louis Boths, made franticefforts to subdue the British, and repeatedly rushed into the open, pretending to floe, with a view to drawing their opponents. The British thrice advanced, but were compelled to retire. They endured for two hours the heaviest shelling that has occurred during

The British gradually pushed forward until the evening, when they held the whole hill. What induced the abandonment of the posi-

LATEST STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The C. P. R. steamer Empress of Japan arrived at Shanghai at 4 a.m. on Wednesday, the Mist instant, and leaves at 1 a.m., the 22nd at noon on Baturday, 24th inst. The steamer Dorse with mails, &c., from San

aki and Shangher. The steamer Java left Singapore for this finish groved most orating and the deal heat port on the 20th instant at 6 a.m. The steamer Tonkin, with the next French mail, left Saigon to day, Thursday, the 22nd

inst., at 5 am for this port. SHIPPING REPORTS.

The Chinese steamer Awang Ping, from

There was a good attendance in the winds and fine weather mutil Sunday, 18th inst. high head sea, which continued to arrival.

HONGKONG JOOKEY CLUB. MIRWARDS.

His Excellency Sir Henry A. Blake G.C.M.G. His Excellency Vice-Admiral Sir. Edward H. Seymour, K.C.B., Il's Panollonoy Mojor-General W. J. Gasqoigno, C.M.G.; Commodero Francis Powell, R.N., C.B.; Major M. M. Morris, R.A.; A. Babington, Esq., The Hou. C. P. Chater, C.M.G.; D. Gillies, Esq. R. M. Gray, Esq. ; Sir Thomas Jackson, Kt. The Hon. J. J. Keswick; J. H. Lowis, Es 1. The Hon. F. H. May, C.M.G., and The Hou T. H. Whiteheld.

Clerke of the Scale .- Major M. M. Morris, I.A., and J. H. Lewis, Esq. Judge,-C. P. Chater, C.M.G. Assistant Judge,-The Hon. F. H. May,

Starter-A. Babington, Eaq. Second Starter.-Ronald Hatton Potts, Esq. Hon. Treasurer .- J. C. Peter, Esq. Clerk of the Course .- T. F. Hough, Esq.

SECOND DAY, WEDNESDAY, 21ST FEBRUARY. Although, the weather conditions were no. bit more entising yesterday than on the provious day, the attendance was rendered particularly attractive by the prosence of the fair sex in large numbers, and was quite up to expectations

The Government House party, headed by Hi Excellency, arrived at a quarter to twelve and precedings commenced shortly afterwards. The condition of the course had not altered materially, and the going although drior, stemed just as heavy.

During the alternoon a casard was circulated

to the effect that the relief of Ladysmith had at last been accomplished, and for the time being the racing became a secondary considera-It is officially reported that General Bul- tion. Excitement ran so high that cheer after cheer rang out as the bogus information was Mr. J. H. Lewis' Bullent, 10st 12Rs posted in one of the large matsheds. When it became knows that the report lacked confirms. Mr. G. H. Potts Storm King, tost 121bs ... tion attention was once more given to the equinos. The Scurry Stakes brought out seven compolitors and Desert King, on his performance of the first day, was installed favourite. Mr. Gresson, whose star is certainly in the ascendent, upset all the preconceived notions, and beat the popular fancy on the post after brilliant contest. The first victory of the John Peel stuble was well received. Shannon, Plute, Thunderstorm, Strategist, Strathfleet Bandolers measured strides in the Exchange plate of a mile and a distance. Shanwhose running in the Hongkong. Club Cup created the most favourable impression, registered a performance in this event that is not likely to be forgotten. He started with Pluto and appeared to be holding his own comfortably until the hill was encountered; here he fell to the rear in the most peculiar manner, and continuing the poor display reached Mr. Carruther's Woodpigeon, 10st 12lb ... the winning, post not only last, but belilind one of the most indifferent performers racing at the meeting. His owner as well as his many The Boers from Colesberg captured a large supporters were sadly disappointed and his return to form will be watched for with a good Mr. Sepia Pando's Subsidy, 11st 41b ... deal of interest.

Although Pluto annexed the event Thunder. | Mr. Wheel Rut's Impahla 10st 121b ... storm proseed him to the bitter end, and the Strathfleet made a gallant effort in the last quar

The meeting of the winner and the runner. proved specially attractive. The other starters played an animportant part in the race, the result of which to some extent justifies the freely expressed opinion that the Derby post-A portion of the missing Wiltshires have ton should have been reversed. Bulbul carried arrived at Arundel. It is believed that eighty his penalty for Tuesday's win and the distance was shorter by a quarter of a mile. To the turn for home it looked as if he might trouble Adespatch from General Buller, dated Chieve- Modder, but once in the simight the latter dely 19th instant, reports that he has driven the monstrated his superiority and won in a proenemy across the Tugela from a strong position nounced fashion. This pony and Pluto, who with others have qualified for the Championship to be run to-day, should certainly participate in the final result.

The German Cup produced one of the largest fields of the day. Ten faced the starter and included in the batch were no less than three of the previous day's winners. Orange Blossom and The Robber were fancied and the Valley Stakes victor, Rassal, hadla large following. Minor also came in for a little attention. The ultimate David led him past the stand he received a tremendous jovation. The win was immensely popular, in fact the reception given to the recorded during the two days' racing. Mr. Motler deserves a word of praise for the determination he displayed when he got his mount out of the ruck. Every yard of the run home was fiercely contested and it seemed to be only a question as to which rider would fail first. Mr. Moller certainly Insted longers than the rider of Orange Blossom, and was rewarded

with a well merited win. Mr. Toege' Tiber proved too good for the other six competitors in the Navy Cup. He led from start to finish and never left the result in doubt for a moment. The Jockey Cup gave the hitherto unsuccessful eastern riders a chance to distinguish themselves, and Mr. Keys took advantage of the opportunity to debar himself from future ovents of a similar description. His mount, Major, showed an inclination to get through with his task before the starting flag fell, and accompanied by Terra Verda made a tour of the course, between the mile and the five furlong posts. On returning to the starting point Torra Verda took up the objective, and finally landed his rider in the middle of the track. As soon as the ponles were persuaded to start Major went to the

The seventh event was captured by Ass of Mr. Hast Buck's Esperance, loat 615 Hearts, piloted by Mr. Walwyn. Ting Haon gave the popular John Pool stable their second win in the Tal, Youk Bong Cup, and at the Measrs, McKio & Gove's Strathdonald, 11st same time justified the good opinion formed of lib ... (Mr. Crawford) him in the early part of his proparation. Strath. Mr. John Poel's Beechnut, 10st 12b cons ran a sterling good race and was only just Mr. G. H. Potts' Tocsin, 11st 41b besten. At even weights in the Foodhow Cup, the andent Sinbad ran Rose de France to a Mr. C. H. Potts' Domon King, 11st 71b ... short lead, and with an advantage of seven pounds over a slighly shorter course, he looked all over a winner, but Mr. Buxey's pony was not to be denied, and placed the Professional Cap to his owner's credit. Tartar displayed a disinarrived at Yokohama, and left for this port climation to participate in the concluding vosterday morning via Inland Sea, Kobe Naga- event, and as a result the other competitors were kept at the post for a considerable time. The between Tom Thumb and China Rose was a fitting conclusion to an excellent day's sport. Appended are the detailed results.

The SCUERY STARES; a sweepstakes of \$10 oach; for China ponies bons fide grilling on date of entry; weight for inches as persoals; wingers 7 lbs. extes One mile. Mr. John Peel's Pilgrim, Het 11b (Mr. Gresson)

Mr. C. H. Potts Desert King, 10st 12th ... Mr. David's Diplomat, 10st 12lb (Mr. Moller) Mr. Hermann's Pedigree, List 115

coming up on the rails won a good race frem different third. Pime, 2.174.

The Excitance Phara; value \$500; presented by the Bankon and Exchange Brokers of Hongkong ; second pony to receive \$50, for Chins ponies; weight for inches as per scale; bona fide griffins on date of entry sillowed b lbs. : winners at this meeting 7 lbs. extra onlyance \$10. From the two-mile post once round and in.

Mr. Dorset's Plate, 11st 11b (Mr. Gresson) Mr. Dorick-Hunter's "bundaratorm, 10st 10lb (Mr. Cumming) Mossis. McKie & Gove's Strainfleet, 10st 121b (Mr. Crawford) Mr. Tour's Shannon, 11st, 41b (Mr. Jones)... Mr. Kingston's Bandoloro, Hat 11b ...

Mr. Bruttou

Mr. David's Strategist, 11st 216 .: Thunderstorm and Plato left the mark torether, and on possing the post were joined by Shannon and the three established a lead of two lengths. This they retained until the hill was renched, when Shannon, in a most extraordinary manner, dropped to the rear. Then-Thunderstorm and Pluto raced away in front to the turn. Strategist dropped back and Strathflest went up to the lenders. A desperate race up the straight ensued between the three leaders. Mr. Grosson kept his mount going and passed the winning post in front of Thunderstorm by a nock, Struthflest being a good third. Shannon finished several lengths behind the fold.

of the Garrison; second pony to receive \$50; entry; weight for inches asper scale; winners 7 lbs. extra; entrance \$10. One mile and a

Mr. Toog's Modder, 10st 9hs Mr. David's Black Prince, 10st 12lbs Mr. John Poll's Ting Haos, 10st 121ba

(Mr. Gresson) Ting Haou, Bulbut, with Modder on the inside, passed the stand in the van of the field, and led to the foot of the hill, where Ting Haou rotired in farour of Storm King. Modder soon afterwards took command and beat Bulbulhome by five lengths, Storm King being the same distance abead of Ting Haou. Time, 2.561.

The GERMAN CUP; presented by members of the Gorman Club; second pony to receive halt the entrance fees; for subscription griffins of this season, 1899-1900; weight for inches as per seale; ontrance 310, One mile and

Mr. David's Lightfoot, 10st 12lb ... Mr. Pogoso's Orange Blossom, 10st 121b (Mr. Wneilleimer) Mr. Dorick-Hunter's Rascal 10st 12lb (Mr. Cumming) (Mr. Jones) Mr. Babington's The Robber, 11st 11b. (Mr. Burkill) Mr. J. H. Lowis' Rover, 1|st 1|b

Mr. Tierce's Minor, lost 1215 (Mr. Gremon) (Mr. Hart Buck) For the first half mile the positions changed continuously, and it was not until the last quarter had been reached that anything took a pronounced lead. Minor them showed up prominently and with Orange Blossom entered the straight in front." Mr. David's Lightfoot dash. ed out of the ruck one hundred yards from

(Mr. Cox)

home and best Orange Blossom by half length; two lengths divided the second and Time 3.02. The NAYY CUP, presented by officers of H.M. Fleet : second pony to receive half the entrance fees for China ponies; weight for inches as per scale; winners of one raco as this meeting 5 lbs. extra; of two or more races, 7 lbs. extra; provious non-startors to carry 12 st.; entrance \$10. One mile and

(Мг. Јодов) Mr. Toez's Tiber, 11st, 4h Mr. John Poel's Beechnut, 10st 121bs (Mr. Gresson) Mr. Buxoys White Bose, 11st 11b (Mr. Wueilleinier) Mr. David's Diplomat, 10st 12lb ... Mr. Derick Hunter's Emerald, 11st 115 ... (Mr. Cumping) Mr. Hart Buck's Désespoir, 11st 11b ...

(Mr. Cranford) Mr. Roungevelle Wildman's Thistle, list lib (Mr. Johnson) Tiber and Diplomat jumped off with the lead, which they maintained to the half-mile post, There Becchaut closed up to Diplomat and came into the straight on level terms. Half way up Diplomat made a fast run, but could not got shead of Tiber, who won by half a length from Beschunt, White Rose being one

length behind, third. Time, 2.57. The JOCKEY CUP; value \$150; second pony to receive \$50; for subscription ponies of any season, winners excited to be ridden by Jockeys who have not had a winning mount previous to this meeting in Hongkong or China; weight for inches as per scale; entrance

Mr. Tierce's Major, 11st 41b (Mr. Keyes) Mr. Derick Hunter's Emperor, 11st lib ... Mr. Sepia Pando's Subsidy, 11st 4lb ... Mr. Ellis Kelly's Terra Verde, 10st 816 ...

Major and Terra Verde bolted before the flag dropped, the latter going nearly half round the course before being palled up. At the start Subsidy took the lead, but Major soon assumed command and ultimately won by two lengths.

The FLYAWAY STARIE; B. SWOODSTARES of \$5 each with \$100 added; for Chias popies; weight for mohes as per scale; subscription ponies of any season non-winners allowed 7 lbs. ; subscription ponles of any acason winners allowed 3 lbs.; previous winners at this mosting 7 bs. extra. Three quarters of a mile. Mr. Mansheld's Ace of Hearts, 11st Ilb ... Mr. G. H. Potts Desert King, 10st 12lbs ... Mr. Euxoy's Standard Rose, 11st 11b

Mr. Derok-Hunter's Sandstorm, list 11b Sir Horden McMahon's Sartow, 10st 51b

Mr. St. Simon's Paradox, 10st 910 There were two talse starts. The second time the rider of Paradox evidently thought the field were sent away and did not discover his mistake until he had gone a quarter of a kong should be entirged under lease to Her

Raile. At the fall of the flag Ace of Hearis and Standard Rose took the lead, which they maintained for some distance. Coming into the straight Desert King passed Standard Rose and threw out a challenge to Acc of Hearta. The latter retained his had and won by a length. The Tai YEUR Fore Cur; value \$200; pre

Mr. John Peel's Ting Haou, 11st 5lb ... Messrs Mckie and dove's Strathoons, 11st Mr. G. H. Potts Pirate King, 11st 815 (Mr. Barkill) Mr. Bundy's Unique Ross, 11st 8b Mr. David's Enigma 11st 81b Mr. O. H. Potts' Storm King, 11st 51h ...

At the second attempt the field were sent | The field got may lu a busch. A furloug away on even terms. At the post Diplo from the starting post Storm King took the mut took the limit. Desert King being in close land, to lowed by Strathcome. Rounding the ptiondance. Threams order was observed until turn the first time Unique Rose was on the rails, half a mile from home. Coming into the Strathcona being la nearest atlendant. Passing straight Pilgrim was the first to show out, and the post Strathcons assumed the load, Ting Haon bringing up the roar. After passing the Desert King by a neck. Diplomat was an in turn the latter gradually overlook the field and soon worked his way to the leaders. Coming into the straght he proted Pirate King and tackled Strallcoun, and after a good strug gle passed the winning rost three longths about of Strathtone, Pirate King being beaten for second place by a length. Time, 3,424.

The PAOPESSIONAL CUP: presented; second pony to receive half the entrance fees; for China ponies: weight for inches as per scale previous winners at this meeting of one race 5 lbs. extra; of two races 7 lbs. extra; and of three or more more 10 lbs. ordra; non starters at this mosting excluded; entrance \$10. mile and a half.

Mr. Buxoy's Ross de France, 19st 12lb (Ma. Wubilleimier) Mr. Drynsdust's Sinbad, 10st 91b (Mr. Johnson) Mr. Derick-Hunter's Charger, Hat Ilb Mr. Cumming) Mr. Kingston's Bandolero, List 11b Mr. John Poel's Corbio, 11st Ilbs

(Mr. Gresson

Mr. G. H. Potts Forest King, 11st 4lb Forest King got away first and led out the straight. Down the bill the first time round he was followed by Rose de Franco. On pissing the post the latter lod the field, Charger being his nearest attendant, with Forest King virtually beaten. The same order was observed nutil arriving at the three quarter mile post and Charger then took charge with Binbad second. At the quarter mile whips were brought The GARRISON CUP; presented by the Officers late play. Pursing into the straight the order was Charger, Sinbad and Rose de Franco. for China ponies bond fide grifflus on date of The lastnamed then began to forge shead, and showing a good burst of speed passed the post a winner by four longths, Sinbad being ascond and Charger third. Time, 3,331.

The GYMKHANA STAKES; value \$200; presented weight for inches as per sole. One mile. Mr. Buxey's China Rose, 10st 12lb (Mr. Wueilleimier) 1

Mr. F. H. May's Tom Thamb. 10st 61b (Mr. Crawford) I Mr. Wheel-Rol's Impahlo: 10st 12lb (Mr. Hart Buck) Mr. Alexander's Cooktail, list 41b

Copt. Bancroff's Cossack, list lib. ... Mr. Carrather's Woodpigeon; 10st 12lb (Mr. Burkill) Mr. Derick Hunter's Rescue, 10st 12lb (Mr. Comming) Mr. Ellis Kelly's Terra Verde, 10st 9lb

Mr. Magpie's Tertar, 10st 121b (Mr. Jones) Sir Horace McMahon's Sarlow, lost 121b (Mr. Walwya) Mr. Wayfoong's Reserve, 10st 121b

several minutes. As the start he jumped off first, and kept his position to the back of the the least pain or inconvenience. course. Sartow then displaced him only to give way to China Rose and Tom Thumb. This pair began to race in real cornect, Impable taking part in the struggle. They came around he visited those Cities last year, has just rethe bend into the straight neck and nock. Every effort was made by the three riders, and | Constantinopolo. Doubtless many of our after a most exciting set to Tom Thumb and readers suffer from Corns, and these will be China Ross passed the post locked together. grateful to learn M. SCHLOSSER'S mode of The judge was unable to separate them and treating the same is permanent and painless, declared the result a dead heat. Imphala was only a neck away third. Time: 2.25.

THIRD DAY, THURSDAY, 22ND FEBRUARY. The GRAND STAND STAKES, value \$200; China nonies bond full griffins on date of entry; winners of one race 5 lbs, extra; of two races 7 lbs. extra; and of three or more races O lis. extra ; subscription griffins nonwinners allowed 5 lbs.; entrance .35. Once

The CHINESE CLUB CUP; presented; second pony to receive half the entrance fees; for subscription griffins of this season, 1899 1900; weight for inches as per scale; previous win- N.B.-No professional connection with anyone. nors 7 lbs. extra penalties acoumulative : entrance 85. One mile. The CHALLENGE CUP: presented by J. J.

Bell-Irving, Esq; value 100 guiness; for China ponies; to be won two years consecutively by a pony or posies the bend file proparty of the same owner; first pony to receive 70 per cent; second, 20 per cent; and third, 10 per cent of entrance fees; weight for inches as per scale; entrance (forced) 85, but optional to subscription griffins of this season, 1829-1900. One mile and three quarters. The LADIES PURSE; presented; for all China poules; weight for inches as per scale; winners at this meeting other than subscription griffins 7 lbs, extra; implaced pobles sllowed 5 lbs.; previous non-starters at this meeting 12 lbs. extra entrance \$5. Once round

The "BLAKE" CHAILENGE CUP: presented by His Excellency Sir Henry A. Blake, G.C.M.C. for subscription griffins of this season 1899-1900; to be won twice by ponica the bond fide property of the same owner or owners; first pony to receive 70 per cent. of the entrance fees; second 20 per cent; third 10 per cont; weight for inches us per scale; winner of the Valley Stakes and or German Cup 14 lbs. extra; winners of any other races 7 lbs. extra; penalties accumulative up to 14 lbs; entrance fee \$10. One mile. The PARSER OUP; presented; second pony to

receive \$50; for China poules; weight for inches as per scale winners of one race at this mosting 5 lbs extra; of two or more races 7 lbs. extra; unplaced ponies allowed 5 lbs.; entrance \$10. One mile. The PEASTON STARS, value \$250; second pony to receive 70 per cent. of entrance fees;

third 30 per cent.; for China ponies bond fide griffing on date of outry; weight for inches as per stale; previous winners at this meeting 5 lbs. extra ; penalties accumulative; applaced ponies allowed 5 lbs. subscription guiffins of the season, 1899-1900, allowed 7 lbs.; entrance 85. From the two-mile post once round and in. The CONSOLATION STAKES; B sweepstakes of \$5 each with \$150 added; second nony to roceive \$100; for beaten China ponies at this meeting; weight for inches an per scale. Once

subscription griffing of this assion, 1899-1900. weight for inches as por scale. Hall a mile.

THE CITY OF KUWLOON.

TO COMB UNDER DESTINI JURISDICTION. The following Order in Council was published in the Covernment Cascile Extraord wary you terday at the Court at Windsor, the 27th day of December, 1890. Present, the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty His Royal Rightess the TOTICE is hereby given that at a Duke of Connaught and Strathearne, Mr. Bal-Imperial Majesty the Emperor of China, it was

provided that the limits of British territory in

the regions adjacent to the Colony of Hong-Majesty in the mainer described in the said And sherous by as Order of Her Mujesty in Council dated the 20th of October, 1898, it was, amongst other things, ordered that the territories within the limits and for the term described in the said Contention should be and the sums were thoroby declared to be part and soription griffins woight for inches as persoals; and purposes as if they had originally formed

Legislative Council of the said Colony, to make 1000, up to the actual dates of payment of the lets for the peace, order, and good government some. of the mid territories as part of the Colony. in Comoil at wise provided that notwithstandof Kowleen should continue to exercise juris hon the certificate diodog therein except in so far as might be inconsistent with the military requirements for the defence of Hongkong.

having been jound to be inconsistent with the military requirements for the defence of Hong. kong, it is expedient that Article 4 of the said Order in Council should be revoked, and that the Chinese officials within the City of Kowloon should beast to exercise jurisdiction therein, and that the said City of Kowloon should bucome part and parcel of Her Majesty's Colony, at the Company's Office, No. 2, Connaught of Houghous for all purposes during the con- Road, at Noon, on MONDAY, the 5th March, tinuance of he term of the Lease in the said

Convention montioned. Now, therefore, Hor Majesty is pleased. and with the calvice of Her Privy Council, order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:-1. Article 4 of the Order of Her Majesty in Conneil of the 20th of Outober, 1898, is hereby revoked, without projudice to anything lawfully done thereunder. 2. The City of Kowloon shall be and the

same is hereby declared to be for the term of the Lease in the said Convention mentioned part and parcel of Her Majesty's Colony of Hongkong, in like minner and for all intents and purposes as if it half originally formed part of the said Colouv: 3.-The provisions of the said Order in Council of the 20th October, 1898, shall apply to the City of Kowloon in like manner as if the said

City had by the said Order in Connoil been declared to be part and parcel of Her Mejesty's Colony of Hongkong. And the Right Honourable Joseph Chamberlain, one of Her Majosty's Principal Secretaries of State, is to give the necessary direcions berein accordingly.

A. W. FITZEOY UNPRECEDENTED SUCCESS DR. SCHLOSSER. SURGEON CHIEOPODIST.

-3, Dupdell Street, Hongkone, Has fired his Departure from here for SATURDAY. the 24th February, positively last Delay. OPINION OF THE PRESS (From the " Bungkok Times.") TR. SCHLOSSER, the well known Surgeon Chiropodist, is an historical charac-

ter; he has at least attended professionally on by the Gynkhana Committee, added to a many historical characters, including a numsweepstakes of 35 each; for subscription ponies ber of crowned heads. He po sesses thouof any season; winners and previous non- sands of autographs and letters from peostarters excluded; first pony to receive 70 per | ple that "we read about in print." General cent.; second, 20 per cent, third, 10 per cent. J. A. Garfield, late President of the U.S., being one of them, the Vicercy of India being another. Many Officers of the Indian Army have testified in writing to his skill, among others Lieutenant General Mansfield Clarke and the Chief Civil Surgeon in India, all declaring that his operations are painless and performed in a few minutes. (From the " Madras Mail.")

From one who has been recently operated on by Dr. SCHLOSSER, we hear that the removal of Corus is done painlessly and quickly. As he removes the Com by the root, the Curs effected is also permanent. (From the " Ringoon Gazette."

DR SCHLOSSER is a specialist in all kinds of silments affecting the Feet and has won quite a name for himself for the efficacious manner in which he has conquered all sorts of Corns, hard or soft, down from the feet of Royalty to those of much humbler rank. People who have spent much and suffered more should now avail themselves of the opportunity Tartar kepi the field waiting at the post for of having these most irritating and painfu expresences removed once for all, and without

(From the "Egyptian Gasette," Alexandria)
DB. SCHLOSSER, who left such a good reputation both in Alexandria and Cairo, when turned to Egypt after a successful visit to without bleeding, in a single operation extracting the root of the Corn, allowing the patient to put or his Boots and walk away immediately afterwards without the least pain or inconvenience. We have seen testimonials received to the 8th proxime, both days inclusive. second pony to receive \$50; third \$25; for from DE. SCHLOSSER'S most distinguished patients, including some well known inhabitants of Alexandria and Cairo, whom he has succeeded in completely Curing of their Corns. S. DUDDELL STREET, Hongkong.

Room No. 11, First Floor, Will leave Hongkong positively "SATURDAY, 24TH FEBRUARY, last Delay. Consulting from 9 A.m. till 5 P.M.

PUBLIC COMPANIES IONGKONG & WHAMPOA DOCK CO. LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. THE ORDINARY YEARLY MEET. ING of SHAREHOLDERS will be hald in the Offices of the Company. Queen's Buildings, New Praya, on MONDAY, the 26th February, 1900, at 3 o'CLOCK P.M. for the purpose of receiving the report of the Directors and the Statement of Accounts to the 31st December, 1899.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 12th to 26th February, both days inclusive. By order of the Board of Directors. THOS. I. ROSE,

Hongkeng, 31st January, 1900, THE CHINA-BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE FIRST ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS of the above Company will be held at the Offices of the Company, No. 4, Queen's Bulldings, on WEDNESDAY, the 28th day of February, at. 12 o'clock "(NCON), to receive a STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS to the 31st December, 1899, and the REPORT of the Manager and Consulting Committee, and to elect a Consulting Committee and Auditor. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLUSED from the 14th to the 28th

Pebruary, both days inclusive. Hongkong, 13th Fabruary, 1900 HUNGRUNG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE THIRTY-FIRST ORDINARY The CHAMPION STARES; with \$500 added; ANNUAL MEETING of SHAREfor China ponies winners at this meeting | HOLDERS in the above Company, will be only; aforced entry; entrance \$20; winter of held at the Offices of the Company, Pedder's two races \$30; of three or more 850; weight Street, on THURSDAY, the Istday of March, for inches as per scale. One mile and a quarter. 1900 at 12 o'cLook (Noon), to receive a Stale-The NILDESPERANDUM STAKE-; a Superstakes ment of Accounts to 31st December, 1891, and of \$5 such with \$50 added; second pony to the Report of the General Managers, and to receive \$5); Third pony \$25; for beaten elect a Consulting Committee and Auditors The TR NSPER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 15th February to the lat March, both days inclusive. JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.

General Managers, Hongkong Pire Insurance Co., Limited. Hongkong, 31st January, 1900. THE PUNJON MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

MEETING of the Board of Directors of the Company, held at the Company's Office. Whereas by a Convention dated the 8th day No. 9, Praya Central, Victoria, Hongkong, of June 1888, botween Her Majesty and His on MonoAr, the 29th day of January, 190), the following Resolution was passed :---That a CALL of ONE DOLLAR per SHARE upon all the Holders of Ordinary Sheres in Las above Company in

respect of all the Shares held by them

in the above Company be and the same is Loreby made. Such Calls to be paid to the Company at their Bankors, the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAL BANKING CORPORATION, at their Promises, Quesu's Road Central, Victoria, Hongkoug, ou or before the Srd day of March, 1900. And Notice is also given that in accordance ponied bong fide grilling on date of entry; sub- kong, in like minuter and for all intonts with Article 24 of the Company's Articles of of her griffing 7 lbs extra previous winners part of the said Colony, and it should be the said 3rd day of March, 1908, at the rate of 7 lbs oxira, on trace \$10. One mile and a competent for the Governor of Hongkong, 510 per centum per annum, upon all Calle re-

> Shareholders are particularly requested to And whoreas by Article 4 of the said Order | note that upon presentation at the Orlice of the Company of the Bankors' receipt for payment ing anything in the said Order in Council con- of the Call together with the Certificate of the tarned the Chinese officials at the date of the Bhares in respect of which the Call has been said Urder in Council stationed within the City paid, an oudersment to that effect will be made

By Order of the Board of Directors, W. II GASKELL, Hourstary 314 Hongkong, 30th January, 1900.

And whereas the exercise of jurisdiction by | THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOOM the Chinese officials in the City of Kowloon WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY. LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE THIRTEENTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of SHARE. HOLDERS in the above Company will be held for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1899.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 23rd February to 5th March, both days inclusive. EDWARD OSEORNE.

Hongkong, 17th February, 1900. HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED.

ORDINARY GIONEDAY MEETINA ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Office of the Company on WEDNESDAY, the Seventh day of March, proximo, at Noon, for the purpose of passing the following Resolution :-1.-That the proposal of the lirectors to call up the Unpaid Capital of the Company in one Call of \$50 per Share, payable on lat July

And if such Resolution is passed, for the purpose of passing the following Special Lasolution :-2.—That the profits accrued to the Company from the issue at a premium of the New Shares. in the Company, anthorised to be issued by the Special Resolution passed on the 6th, and confirmed on the 23rd day of April, 1889, amounting to the sum of \$1,250,000, and which was then carried, and is now standing, to the Credit of the Reserve Fand in pursuance of such Special Resolution, he capitalized and be applied in part payment of the Call of \$50 per Bharo on all the Shares in the Company, to be made

Should the above Special Resolution be passed-by the required majority, it will be submitted for confirmation at a subsequent

By Order of the Board. A. SHELTON HOOPER, Suprawary.

Hongkong, 21st February, 1900. THE HONGKONG ROPE NANUFAC. TURING COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE FIFTEENTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING OF SHARE-HOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Company's Offices, No. 9, Praya Central, Victoria, on THURSDAY, 8th March, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of recoiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Jeneral Managers for the year ouding Slat Docember, 1899, and Electing a Consulting Committee and Auditors. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 20th Fubruary to 8th

March, both days inclusive. SHEWAN, TOMES & CO., General Managors. Hougkong, 17th February, 1900.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. THE THIRTY-FIRST ORDINARY L MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Company's Offices, No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, Yietoria, on THURSDAY, the 8th March. a Twelve o'clock (NOON), for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Directors for the year ending 31st December, 1899; The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 22nd instant

GEO. L. TOMLIN.

Hongkong, 9th February, 1900. HONGKONG AND SHANGHAL BANK. ING CORPORATION. FITHE DIVIDEND declared for the Halfyear ending 31st December, 1899, at the rate of One Pound and Ten Shillings, together

with a Bonns of Ten Shillings Sterling per.

Share of \$125, is PAYABLE on and after MONDAY, the Ninetoenth February, current at the Offices of the Corporation, where Shareholders are requested to apply for Warrants. By Order of the Court of Directors,

Hongkoug, 19th February, 1900. HONGKONG BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

AUCTIONEERS, &co. PAUL BREWITT. 2, Zetland Street, Austiencer, Appraiser and Commission Agent.

HUGHES & HOUGH,

Austioneers to the Government, and Share and General Brokers, corner Ice House Street, and Praya Cantral, GEO. P. LAMMERT. Auctioneer, Valuer and Goods Broker,

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n Current Account on Fixed Deposits :-places both in Japan and abroad. may be obtained an application. PER CENT. por annum. Houghong, let August, 1895. SanFrancisco Honolula Tiontsin' Hongkong, 1st January, 1900. BANKERS: For 12 months Constitution on constitution of J. THURBURN. Manager, Hongloone Hongkong, 28th April 1809. IMPERIAL BANK OF CHINA ESTABLISHED BY IMPRELAT DECESE OF THE 12ru November, 1896. SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL ... Shanghai Els. 5,000,000 PAID-UP CAPITAL 2,500,000 HEAD OFFICE . SHANGHAL BRANCHES AND AGENCINS. Cantou. -Hankow. Chefuo. Poking. Chinkinng. Penang. Chungking. Singapore. Foodhow. Tientaln. The Bank purchases and receives for collegtion bils of Exchange drawn on the above

BIEMBSEN & CO. Agenta places, and sells Drafts and Telegraphic Transfora payable at its Branches and Agencies. HONGKONG BRANCH. Advinces madegon approved securities. Kills INTEREST ALLOWNO ON DEPOSITS At 2% per aunum on Current Account daily 2 peramium on Fixed Deposits for 3 months. E. W. BUTTER Acting Magagor. Hongkong, 2nd February, 1900 THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA. INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER, 1883. HEAD OFFICE, LONDON. CAPITAL PAID-UP. RESERVE LIABILITY OF SHARM. 000,008\$ E8800,000

BANKS VESSELS HXPROPED. MINOTICES TO CONSIGNEES THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA "SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS. THE GERMAN MAIL. The N. D. L. steamer Stuttgart, carrying LIMITED. the Gorman Mails, with dates from Berlin of the 22nd ultimo, left Singapore on Saturday. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES: the 17th imtant, at I p.m. and may be expected PAID UP CAPITAL FROM MIDDLESBRO, LONDON, PE bere on or about Thursday, the 22nd lustant. NANG AND SINGAPORE HEAD OPPION-HONGKONG. THE PRENOIL MAIL. The steamer Tonkin, with the French Mail of the 26th Jan left Saigon on the 22 ad BOARD OF DIRECTORE. "DENBIGHSHIRE," instant, at 5 p.m.; and may be expected here on or about Sanday, the 25th instant. This Chan Kry Sman, Log. D. Gellers, Esq. Chion Tunu Brang, Esq. J. T. Ladres, Esq. Chief Manager, Captain Vyvyan, having arrived from the above ports, Consiguess of Cargo are hereby Packet bring replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on the 23rd December. informed that their Goods are being landed GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR at their risk into the Godowns of the Hong-LIAM VANIENMA CHT kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Com-The O. & O. steamer Doric, with Mails pany, Limited, at Kowloon, and stored at Con-&c. from Ban Francisco to the list instant, via signees risk and expense. Hongkong, 23rd March, 1899. Honolula, has arrived at Yokohama, and left No Claims will be admitted after the Goods for this port on the 2 st instant, vis Inland have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining TEUTSOH-ASIATISCHE Sea, Hobe, Negosaki, and Shanghai.
The P. M. chartered stoamer Algon, with undeligered after the 24th instant will be subfeet to rout. Mails, So., left Sau Francisco for this port via All broken, chafed, and damaged goods are Japan ports, on the 22nd ultime, to be left in the Golowns, where they will be HEAD OFFICE SHANGRAI. The T. K. K. steamer Nippon Maru, with Mails, &c., loft San Francisco for this port via examined on the 23rd inst., at 2,50 P.M. HOARD OF DIRECTORS : BREATN. No l'ire Insurance his been effected. Ronolula, Yokohaina, Lulaud Son, Kobe, Naga-Bills of Luding will be countersigned by BRANCHES. maki, and Shanghai, on the 9th instant ... - SHEWAN, TOMES & CO. Calcutta, The P. M. steamer China, with Mails, &c. Haukow. Taingtan (Kiuntechou). left Shanglai for this port on the 19th justant at midnight. Hongkong, 19th February, 1909. LONDON BANKERS: NOTICE TO CONSIGNERS. THE CANADIAN BIAIL. Mossis N. M. Rothsonild & Sons The C. P. R. stonmer Empiress of Japan arrived at Shanghal on Wadnesday, the Blat UNION BANK OF LONDON, Lp. FROM BOMBAY, COLOMBO AND instant, and left on the 22nd instant for this STRAITS: port; where she is due to arrive at noon on THE P. & O. S. N. Co's Steamship INTEREST Moved on Current Account Saturday, the 24th instant. DEPOSITS received on terms which may be leamed on application. Every description of "COROMANDEL." THE INDIAN MAIL The steamer Catherine Apear, from Calcutta Consignoes of Cargo by the above-named Banking and lexchange business transacted. est Singapere for this port on the afternoon vessel are hereby informed that their goods are F. URBIG. being landed and placed at their risk in the f the 17th inst. Hongkeng and Kowloon Wharf and Godowa Hongkong, Sth February, 1900. MERCHANT STEAMERS. The Cal & O. R. steamer Lieby Jolecy luft. Company's Godowns at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out mark by mark, San Diego on 15th instants The atommer Kenmore, from New York, left DANK OF TAIWAN (FORMOSA) and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Singapore on the 18th instant for Manila and LIMITED. Hongkong. (INDORPORATED BY SPECIAL IMPERIAL This ressel brings on Cargo :--From Persian Gulf, ex s.s. Britannia. From Persian Gulf, ex s.s. Kilma, Mosh The H. A. L. steamer Elizabeth Richners, CHARTER.) from Hamburg, left Singapore for this port on the 16th instant, and may be expected here out Paid-up Capital 1,250,000 or about the 22nd instant. From Zanzibar, ex s.s. Canara. The P. & O. steamer Jan left Singapore for Optional goods will be landed here noiss HEAD OFFICE :- TAIPEH, FORMORA instructions are given to the contrary before The Cal. & O steamer Thyru laft San Diego P.M. TO-DAY. Goods not cleared by the 24th instant, at Juicut Soyana, Esq., President. on the 8th ultimo for Japan and this port. 4 P.M. will be subject to rent. Heal Office Manager :- TARESHI DORL Eq. The N. P. steamer Minmonthshire No Fire Insurance " ! be effected by me in arrived at Yokohama, and sailed for Hongkong any case whatever. BRANCHES AND AGENCIES. on the 20th instant. All damaged prokages must be left in the The N. P. steamer Goodwin sailed from Yokohama Kobs Godown, and a certificate of the damage ob-Tacoma for Japan and Hongkong on the 31st Nagoya ... tained from the Godown Company within ten Hiroshima Hakodate Otam days after the reseel's arrival here, after which The N. P. steamer Arab left Yokolugua for Shaughai . no claims will be recognised, Hongkong on the lith indant. Fusan H. A. BITCHIE, HEAD OFFICE :- INTREEST ABLOWED. Superintendent. PARRED THE CANAL. Hougkong, 17th February, 1900. OUTWARD, -2nd Jan .- Sanakt Maru, St. 'An 4.38% per annua dreios. 5th Jan .- Laos, Pocukat, Ernherzog , Savings Hank 5.11% NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE Fordisiand, Doubighahire, Ormason, 9th Jan. L'TALIANA. -Tuskar, 16th January .- Naraborg, 19th 64% per annum (Floris and Rubattino United, Companies.) January - Bietivald, Qualia, Audantico. January - Java, Susmia, Windsor, 30th NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. January-Oakbrance, Socotra, 2nd Peb. Oridits granted on approved socurities and Glanous, Glenartney, 6th Fobruary-Haievery description of Banking and Exchange FROM BOMBAY AND SINGAPORE. delberg, Maria Valerie, St. Ronald, Ardros. THE Steamship san, Orel Mth February - Liewache Maru, Drafts granted on the Chief Commercial Shanghai. 13th Fobruary .- Benledi, Hee. "BORMIDA," Further particulars may be obtained on tore Calonia, Kinig Albert, Vindolome, having arrived from the above ports, Con-Ansgar, Anivorse. Lith Fohrmary Anapa, signees of Cargo by her are hereby informed Bingo Mara. 20th Feb .- Annam, Benal-TAKESHI DOKL that their goods are being landed at their risk der, Yangiese, Gleufurg, Serbia, Tamba into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kom Mora, Sibirio, Dramond, Karlsruhe, Taipel, 20th November, 1899. loon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, at Kowloon, whence delivery can be obtained, HONGRONG SAVINGS BANK. Perishable Goods to be taken delivery of im-FILE Business of the above Bank is conducted All damaged packages must be left in the by the HONGKONG AND SHANG. Godowns, and a certificate of the damage HAI BANKING CORPORATION. Rules obtained from the Godown Company within seven days after the vessel's errival here, after INTEREST on deposits is allowed at 3 which no claims will be recognised. 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Company's Godowns at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out mark by mark and delivery can be obtained as soon as the BRANCHES AND AGENCIES. Nagasaki Goods not cleared by the 23rd inst. New York NOON, will be subject to rent. Bembay No Fire Insurance will be offeeted by us Newohwang follows any case whatever. All damaged packages must be left in the Godowns and a certificate of the damage ob-LONDON BANKERS THE LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, LIMITED. to 10,45 A.M.) tained from the Godown Company within ten days after the vessel's arrival here, after which. PARR'S BANK, LIMITED. THE UNION BANK OF LONDON, LIMITED. no claims will be recognised. Optional Goods will be landed here unless HONGKONG-INTEREST ALLOWED. patractions are given to the contrary before Or Current Account at the rate of 2 per Noon, TO-DAY (SATURDAY), the 7th cent, or annum on the daily balance. On fixed deposits for 12 months 5% per surray. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Hongkong, 17th February, 1990. 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